

## Greene County Department of Public Health Snow Hill, NC 28580

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Update on the number of positive cases in Greene County

Snow Hill, NC – Over the weekend, the Greene County Department of Public Health has received notification of 8 new lab-confirmed COVID-19 positive cases. That brings our total number of cases to 166.

Out of the 166 lab-confirmed positive cases to date, 122 of the individuals have recovered, are doing well, and are out of isolation. Greene County currently has 41 active cases and the Health Department is monitoring those individuals. There is one other individual currently hospitalized. Greene County has had two deaths.

- 10,021,401 confirmed cases globally; 499,913 deaths
- United States: 2,545,250 confirmed cases; 126,369 deaths
- NC has confirmed 63,484 cases of COVID-19 across all 100 counties\*
  - Deaths = 1,325\*
  - Completed Tests = 886,305\*
  - Currently Hospitalized = 843\*
  - \* Last updated at 11:50 a.m. on June 29, 2020

On Wednesday, June 24, 2020, Governor Cooper and NC DHHS Secretary Dr. Cohen announced that North Carolina will remain in Safer at Home Phase 2 for three more weeks. Governor Cooper also announced that face coverings must be worn when people are in public places as officials seek to stabilize concerning trends of increasing viral spread. This went into effect on 6/26/2020 at 5 p.m. To read the Governor's full press release, please visit our website.

Greene County is continuing to monitor the situation and its impact on our community. New information will be shared as necessary.

Residents who feel they are in need of COVID-19 testing, need to call their primary care provider ahead of time in order to receive instructions on how to proceed.

Greene County Department of Public Health COVID-19 updates will appear on our website at <a href="https://www.greenecountync.gov/health">www.greenecountync.gov/health</a> and our Facebook page @greenecountydepartmentofpublichealth.

For more information on COVID-19, please visit the NC Department of Health and Human Services website at <a href="https://covid19.ncdhhs.gov/">https://covid19.ncdhhs.gov/</a> and the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention website at <a href="https://www.cdc.gov/">https://www.cdc.gov/</a>.